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Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice of Allowance dated June 16, 2004. Applicant respectfully request to amend Figure 15 as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 15. This sheet, which includes Fig. 15, replaces the original sheet including Fig. 15.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet